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Group Art Unit: 1723

Examiner: Fortuna, Ana M.

In re Application of

Carlo D. MONTEMAGNO

Patent Application No.: 10/627,967

Filed: 07/28/2003

For: **BIOMIMETIC MEMBRANES**

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above identified application.

- No additional fee is required. ()
- An extension of a shortened statutory time for response under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is (X) requested.
- A verified statement under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27. (x)
 - is enclosed. ()
 - is of record in this application. (x)

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	Remaining after Amend.	Number Paid For		Large Entity	Small Entity			
No. of Claims in Excess of 20				50.00	25.00			
Independent Claims in Excess of 3				200.00	100.00			
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims			360.00	180.00				
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- (X) A check in the amount of \$510.00 is attached (check #19665).
 () Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 10-1213.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees during the pendency of this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 10-1213.
 - (X) Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
 - (X) Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

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Responsive to the Office Action which was mailed on December 22, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: